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## **Brief Summary of Selected Substantive Portions of this Response**

[0001] Herein, I submit remarks explaining why the primary cited reference (namely, Hurwitz) does not disclose what is recited in the claims.

[0002] This brief summary is not intended to represent the Applicant's full response to the Action. Rather, it is merely a brief summary of selected substantive portions of the response herein.

## **SPECIFICATION AMENDMENTS**

None

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